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Mr Art Carter
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Dear Art:

I have been planning to write you about this matter for ages. In fact I was hoping I would get a chance to see you and discuss it. If you are at the meeting in Philly, Friday we will discuss it then.

I have been wondering if we could not round up enough Negroes with some class to them, to have some week end basketball this winter in about four or six cities. Let the players work in defence plants. If the man in Washington would be interested it would be swell (or would it). I havent spoken to any one but you about it, but I dont see why Bob Douglas would not be interested in New York, and I believe Newark would support a team, if we did not have anything else but Baltimore and Washington it should pay, but Philadelphia, and maybe Brooklyn would be two good towns.

Give it some thought, and if you want to go any futhur let me know. I believe you would be a good man to organize it. I will appreciate hearing from you.

Very Truly Yours

I have written Posey and Butts wrote Clark to try and get a good picture of Josh. To date I have not received it. Will you get me one with some data. I believe The Newark Evening News will carry it, for our game next Sunday.